

REMARKS

Claims 1-38 and 42-64 are presently pending in this application. No claims have been amended or added. Claims 39-41 have been cancelled without prejudice to their prosecution in an appropriate application.

Pursuant to the restriction requirement in the Office Action of August 29, 2006, Applicant hereby elects to continue prosecution of Group I, claims 1-38 and 42-64.

For the foregoing reasons, Applicant respectfully submits that the claims are in compliance with 35 U.S.C. § 101 *et. seq.* Accordingly, Applicant respectfully requests allowance of all pending claims, 1-36 and 42-43. Applicant has made a good faith effort to place this application in condition for allowance. However, should the Examiner have any further questions about the application, Applicant respectfully requests the Examiner to contact the undersigned attorney at (425) 455-5575 to resolve the matter. A check is enclosed herewith to cover the cost of the extension of time. However, if any need for any fee is found, for any reason, kindly this a petition therefore and charge any necessary fees to Deposit Account 07-1897.

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